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1. EMBASSY CONTACTED SEVERAL IRANIAN FIRMS CONSIDERED AS LIKELY PROSPECTS FOR U.S. MARBLE OPPORTUNITY BUT WAS UNABLE TO GENERATE ANY SIGNIFICANT INTEREST. SEVERAL FIRMS MENTIONED THAT THEY WOULD NEED MORE INFORMATION ON CAPACITY OF \$150,000 FACTORY DESCRIBED IN U.S. MARBLE PROPOSAL BEFORE MAKING DECISION, BUT THEY WERE NOT OPTIMISTIC A ITS PROFITABILITY IN IRAN.

2. IN SPITE OF THIS REACTION, EMBASSY BELIEVES U.S. MARBLE PROPOSAL HAS POTENTIAL IN IRANIAN MARKET WHERE ALL KINDS OF BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS WILL CONTINUE IN STRONG DEMAND. WE HAVE INCLUDED DESCRIPTION OF U.S. MARBLE PROPOSAL IN FIRST EDITION ON EMBASSY NEWSLETTER WHICH WILL BE CIRCULATED TO 350 IRANIAN BUSINESSMEN AND WILL REPORT ANY EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST.
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